

San Diego County Crime Stoppers

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Police Looking for Leads in Rady Home Invasion Robbery Case;

Reward Increased to \$10,000

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers, working with the SDPD Robbery Unit and the Rady Family Foundation, are asking for the public's assistance to help identify and locate the suspect responsible for the Rady home invasion. Crime Stoppers and the Rady Family Foundation have now increased their combined reward to a total of \$10,000.

The crime occurred on February 6, 2007 at the Rady residence in La Jolla. At approximately 4:00 p.m., the suspect, posing as someone delivering documents, persuaded Mrs. Rady to open her front door. Once the door was opened, the suspect forced his way into the house eventually tying up the housekeeper and Mrs. Rady with duct tape. The suspect remained in the house for several hours waiting for Mr. Rady to come home. When Mr. Rady came home, the suspect used a taser to subdue him and tied Mr. Rady with duct tape. The suspect remained in the house until approximately 10:00 p.m. The Rady's and their housekeeper freed themselves shortly after the suspect left and called 911. The suspect got away with a small amount of cash.

The suspect is described as a Middle Eastern or Hispanic male, approximately 5' 8" tall and 165 lbs. He had a medium to muscular build, was unshaven, and had shiny black hair; the hair could have been a wig. He was wearing a black blazer jacket, black collared shirt, tan pants and soft soled lace-up black shoes. He had stud earrings in both ears and carried a black leather type bag with two straps. The weapons used were a black semi-auto handgun and a taser. The taser was described as a law enforcement model, black in color, similar to a Citizen Taser model X26c. See attached suspect composite and taser photo.

Anyone with information on the identity and/or location of the suspect responsible for the Rady home invasion is asked to call the **Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at** (888) 580-TIPS. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 and the Rady Family Foundation is offering up to \$9,000 to anyone with information that leads to the arrest of the suspect. Collect calls are accepted and callers may remain anonymous.

Media inquiries should be directed to:

- Questions regarding the Home Invasion Robbery should be directed to Captain Mary Cornicelli at (619) 531-2775.
- Questions regarding Crime Stoppers should be directed to Officer Jim Johnson at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-TIPS.



Rady home invasion - taser used by suspect



Rady home invasion – suspect composite